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DAILY PACIFIC NEWS.

W. WINCHESTER, EDITOR.

Tuesday, May 21, 1850.

WANTED.—One or two females to fold and stitch pamphlets, to whom good wages and constant employment will be given for several weeks. Address, by note or otherwise, the editor of this paper.

They are Coming.

A wonderful destiny is to be that of California. Already is she the point of attraction toward which are turned the eyes of all the nations of the earth. Her career of prosperity is not yet begun,—her numerous towns, now barely known upon the map, and by many looked upon as wild creations of a speculative excitement, are yet to team with a busy population, and become centres of business and wealth which will be matters of surprise to all who shall witness the magical changes of a brief period of years.

By the arrival of the Oregon, we are advised of the high degree of excitement existing in all parts of the Union, among all classes, to seek a future home in our young and vigorous State. As an illustration of this feeling we make a brief extract from a private letter addressed to us by HONORABLE GARET, Esq., the popular Editor of the New York Tribune. He says:

"The flood of emigration sets towards California with irresistible sweep. If there were ten steamships plying between Panama and San Francisco, they would all be crowded with passengers from this side. Thousands stay only because they have no way to go. Over the plains there will be four times the emigration of last year. Can the Western Coast of America, with the Sandwich Islands, feed you all?"

What a spectacle to the wonder-stricken gazer does not this living tide present, and what a wonderful destiny is to be ours!

County Court.

This Court was organized at the City Hall yesterday morning by proclamation. Judge Morrison presiding, H. S. Brown and E. McGowan, Esq's., Associate-Justices.

Judge Morrison presented the Seal of the Court, designed by him, and the same was ordered on file, a description of which is as follows:

On the right of the medal, a figure of Mercury "new" lighted on a heaven-kissing hill, pointing his caduceus to a ship *a la Vauce*, leaving the Bay of San Francisco, in the distance.

On the left foreground, a cypress tree, emblematical of the Probate jurisdiction of the Court. In the centre, another vessel coming into the harbor, and three wild ducks *uagant*. On the extreme left margin, a setting sun, indicative of our Western position on the map of the earth.

The whole circumscribed with the words "County Court of San Francisco County," as directed by the statute.

An order was entered fixing the County Tax at one-fourth of one per cent., and after presentation of sundry accounts against the county for settlement, the Court adjourned till this morning at ten o'clock.

This term of the Court is held for the transaction of County business as a Board of Supervisors; the regular terms of the Criminal Court are held on the second Monday of each month.

STEAMER CHESAPEAKE.—We learn from Mr. F. E. Cochran, who came passenger in this vessel from New York, that himself and about twenty others left her on the 25th of April, at El Rosario, and proceeded by land to San Diego. At the time he left, she was short of provisions and fuel, and had about one hundred and forty passengers on board. Mr. C. learned from some passengers who left after he did, that they burned up *spar*s, berths, staterooms, &c., in getting her from El Rosario to San Quintin, about thirty miles, where they were obliged to cast anchor, because her boilers leaked so badly that the fires were put out by the water from them. For some time past the passengers have subsisted entirely on beef. An agent came up on the Oregon yesterday to send down coal and other supplies, to bring the vessel up to this port.

Judge Lynn, late mayor of Rising Sun, Indiana, was drowned on the 20th of April, by the upsetting of a boat in the breakers, while attempting to go ashore.

WELCOME.—Among the passengers by the Oregon, was our fellow citizen, Col. R. T. P. Allen, Special Post Office agent for the Pacific coast, who will be cordially welcomed back to the midst of his California friends. Col. A. will be glad to return the friendly grip of all who may find leisure to call upon him at this office.

CORONER'S INQUEST.—The jury upon the murder of Sunday night, rendered a verdict of murder against a person or persons unknown. Two arrests have been made by the police of parties supposed to have been connected with the deed.

The Democrats have carried Cincinnati, by a large majority.

A Brilliant Wedding!

A brilliant affair took place yesterday on the arrival of the Oregon, which is characteristic of the way things are done up in this country. We hope every steamer will be the bearer of such fair freight to the thousands whose bosoms would thrill to welcome their loved ones to the golden shore of California.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 20, 1850.

Mr. Editor.—The Steamer Oregon, as you doubtless have already informed your readers, arrived at this port this morning after a short and very pleasant passage of 18½ days from Panama. But to communicate this fact already known, was not the intention of the present note. A subject far more interesting claims my attention. Among the passengers of the Oregon, were more than half a score of ladies, whom the gallant and most excellent Captain Patterson brought to join expecting husbands and lovers, and to bless their homes here in California. Well as I was going to say, we came to anchor early this morning, and your humble servant hastened to the city to gladden the heart of an old and estimable friend, with the intelligence that a fair lady awaited him on the steamer. A short year ago we accompanied the gentleman to these shores, and now we brought him a "companion *du voyage*" to whom he had been long affianced.

Well, in the space of a very few hours, a blithesome, happy wedding party were assembled in the noble saloon of the steamer, and the Rev. Dr. Mines united in the bands of holy wedlock, Wm. H. Edm. Esq., of this city, to Miss Harriet Eckert, of Ithaca, N. Y.

We were much struck with the solemnity of the beautiful ceremony of the Episcopal Church; but not less with the mainly, dignified carriage of the bridegroom, and the pleasant, confiding mien of the lovely bride, as she gave herself so trustingly to his protection.

Mr. Editor, you may well imagine the pleasure we felt at the knowledge that we had, in some sort, been the humble means of their present joy. After the ceremony, the happy couple, with a goodly company of smiling friends, gathered for the occasion, sat down to a sumptuous collation, given by Capt. Patterson, and prepared by that prince of stewards, Baker, of the Oregon. I may not attempt to describe the scene. The tables, decked with flowers, and loaded with enough to tempt the eater to his ill, the hilarity, the utter abandonment to joy, of the party, as the sparkling champagne freely flowed—twas altogether a scene one may never witness again. After the collation, the bride was conducted to her future home in *Happy Valley* (a name significant, we trust, of her wedded life).

Thither we, too, repaired, when evening had fully come, to meet a goodly company assembled at the bridegroom's invitation. Here we met many old and excellent friends, whom we had not seen for months, and held with them most pleasant communion. There were their Honors, the Mayor and Recorder,—good men and true,—the warm-hearted Capt. T., a true nature's nobleman; but why instance, for such were they not all? In fine, the evening passed so pleasantly that we could not drag ourselves away until well nigh *late noon*. If our kind friend dispenses such hospitality, *Happy Valley* will see us much oftener, than of yore. And now Mr. Editor, having got to the midnight hour, I must to my lonely couch—lonely! alas, my bonnie wife is far, far away; so good night.

Most truly, R. T. P. A.

THE ANTELOPE.—We are happy to find that the account which we published a day or two since, of the resistance by the Captain of the Antelope, and which was furnished us by responsible parties, was much exaggerated, and that Capt. Ashford was not guilty of any conduct for which he was deserving of censure. We are told, and do not doubt, that he is a most worthy and hospitable gentleman. We gladly make this correction, having no object of a personal motive, and being solicitous only that the laws be maintained on all occasions.

LOOK OUT FOR SPURIOUS GOLD.—There are now afloat a great number of imitated specimens mixed with quartz, having every appearance of being dug from the mines. They are a mixture of gold and copper, and are worth no more than seven or eight dollars an ounce. On yesterday the assay office had no less than three such pieces brought for inspection, and they were of the same kind in each case. They are generally of several ounces in weight, and most ingeniously made to resemble genuine lumps.

THE HARBOR MASTER.—We are informed that this officer has in no wise disregarded the spirit or letter of the injunction against his removing the vessel in question. Before the injunction was served, the Zuidpool had her anchors up, and her lines temporarily made fast to the ship alongside; and towards evening, for the better protection of the vessel, she was removed a few yards for the purpose of secure anchorage.

TEMPERANCE IN THE MINES.—On the 12th instant a large temperance meeting was held at Phoebeville, on the American Fork. A society was formed, the pledge circulated, and a large number of names received. The following gentlemen were elected to preside over the society: Albert W. Bee, President; David H. Steele, Vice President; Thomas C. Nugent, Secretary. A large number of miners were in attendance, and the exercises made interesting by appropriate addresses and songs, volunteered by gentlemen present.

Common Council.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN. Monday evening, May 20.

This Board had a short session last evening. The first business being the reception of petitions, the following were presented:

Edward L. Batters for City Auctioneer. Edgar H. Edgerton, praying for the appointment of a clerkship to either Board, or for such other employment as the Council might see fit to bestow, suitable to his condition. The petitioner represents that at the December fire, while he was employed with other citizens in trying to stop its progress, he had both his legs broken, and otherwise hurt; since which time he has been confined to his room, and is yet unable to engage in the practice of his profession—that of a lawyer—because of his late injuries. His petition was referred to the committee on fire, &c., and there is a strong disposition to give him a preference in the first suitable appointment.

The Board of Assessors sent in a communication, requesting to be informed more specifically as to the various kinds of property, which they were empowered to assess, as there was a conflict of opinion in relation to some descriptions—especially in regard to goods received on consignment. Referred to Finance Committee.

Mr. Vandewater, Superintendent of Public Repairs, reported progress, and states that all the public officers have been provided with rooms for business; but the repairs go on more slowly than otherwise, from the want of funds. He states that he has had to purchase materials in some cases on his own credit for public uses, and that he has paid off the workmen out of his private funds, for some time past.

The Standing Committees were not prepared to report last evening. These Committees have been greatly delayed for the want of suitable rooms for the transaction of business.

Ald. Stuart introduced a resolution, instructing the Mayor to use his efforts to get a stay upon the various executions against the city, by making arrangements to have bonds filed for the purpose, &c. Passed.

By Ald. Gillespie, a resolution to have an ordinance passed to advertise for a loan, which was adopted. This provides that proposals shall be advertised for one week, to raise a loan of \$100,000, in sums of not less than \$2,000, for the period of three months.

Capt. E. D. Keyes, Engineer of Harbor Improvements, was granted leave of absence for two weeks.

A resolution and ordinance was sent from the Board of Assistant Aldermen, establishing a City Hospital; passed. The object of this is to create an institution such as can be the legal recipient of fines and other funds appropriated by name to this charity.

A resolution was passed that the clerks of both Boards keep their offices open to the public from nine o'clock in the morning to 5 P. M. of each day, for the transaction of business.

The Board met again on Friday evening next.

ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

Ald. Van Ness presented a communication asking for the appointment of another Port Warden; filed for future use.

Ald. Batts presented a petition asking for the appointment of an Inspector of Provisions; filed for future use.

Ald. Maynard presented the communication of E. D. Batters, offering himself as a candidate for city Auctioneer; placed on file.

Ald. Maynard reported a substitute for the ordinance in relation to the City Hospital; adopted and concurred in by the other Board.

The subject of licenses was called up and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Ald. Batts reported the appointment of joint standing Committees.

Bills from the Board of Aldermen against the city were referred to Committee on Finance.

Resolution by Ald. Wilson on the subject of procuring a safe or vault for the safe keeping of the public records. Adopted.

Ald. Maynard reported an ordinance requiring every person, or persons owning a house or tent to keep on hand six water buckets. Referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Resolution by Ald. Batts, requiring each ordinance to be read three times, and that the second and third reading shall not be on the same evening.

The Sergeant-at-Arms was ordered to provide seats for spectators.

The payment of the reward for the arrest of Reuben Withers, was called up, and referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

Resolution by Ald. Maynard, ordering the printing of 25 copies of the Charter with the names of the members of the Standing Committees. Passed.

Resolution by Alderman Batts, authorizing the Clerk to furnish ten manuscript copies of the joint rules and regulations for the use of the Board and the Mayor. Adopted.

The resolution from the Board of Aldermen, granting to the Mayor the power to execute such undertaking as might be necessary to stay the sale of the city lots, was passed, after a suspension of the rules.

The resolution of the upper Board, on the subject of the loan, was referred to the joint Committee on Finance.

The best manner of promulgating the ordinances was, on motion of Alderman Wilson, ordered to be reported on at a future meeting.

Adjourned until Friday evening.

U. S. PROPELLER MASSACHUSETTS.

We learn by the Oregon Spectator that the brig Mary Dure, which arrived at Astoria on the 20th of April, reported having spoken the Massachusetts, bound to Puget's Sound, with a commission of army and navy officers appointed to select sites for fortifications and navy yards on the Pacific coast. The Massachusetts was to visit Columbia River on her return from the Sound.

News by the Steamer Oregon.

[From our Extra of yesterday.] The U. S. M. Steamer Oregon, Capt. Patterson, left Panama on the evening of the 1st, thus making the passage in 18 1/2 days, the shortest passage yet made. The Oregon has \$200,000 specie on freight. The mail brought by the Oregon is very large, consisting of 150 bags. The latest dates are to the 15th April, per Empire City, from New York, and per Ohio, from New Orleans. The Mail came through in charge of W. A. Bayley, U. S. M. Agent.

R. Allen, of Vermont, died on the passage, and was buried at San Diego on the 19th. Ex Governor Smith, of Virginia, is among her passengers.

We return our warmest acknowledgments to Mr. R. B. Macy, Purser of the Steamer Oregon, for his attention to the press.

We are indebted to Dr. F. A. Holman, surgeon of the Steamer Oregon, for a pamphlet copy of Prof. Webster's trial.

A vast number of subjects are before Congress, and many bills in process of completion, but very little definite action had up to the departure of the steamer.

A bill had been reported in the House of Representatives providing for the taking of the seventh census. Also, a bill to abolish the franking privilege and reduce letter postage to a uniform rate of two cents when pre-paid, and five cents in other cases. It is thought the bill will become a law.

The New York Sun says there is now a fair prospect of the removal of the great bone of contention in Congress—the California question. Mr. Clay's proposition in the Senate to adopt a bill providing for the admission of California, the settlement of the Texan boundary, and the organization of Territorial governments for Deseret and New Mexico, is endorsed by Cass, Webster, and a majority of the leading Senators.

S. C. SENATOR.—The Governor of South Carolina offered the seat in the U. S. Senate, made vacant by the death of Hon. John C. Calhoun, to Hon. Langdon Cheves, who declined accepting the same. It was then offered to Gen. Hamilton, who declined, not being eligible, having resided some time in Georgia.

DEATH OF THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.—Mr. T. J. Campbell, clerk of the H. of R., died at Washington, on the morning of the 13th April. He was sick one week. His remains were taken to Pennsylvania for interment.

Mr. Webster has received a communication signed by a large number of the leading citizens of Boston, approving the sentiments of his great speech on the Compromise Resolutions of Mr. Clay.

Petitions were in general circulation in the city of New York, praying Gov. Briggs to pardon Professor Webster.

The family of Dr. Parkman have paid Littlefield the \$3,000 offered by them soon after the disappearance of the Doctor.

The Tea Room of the Common Council of New York has been abolished, and each member has a specified salary.

On the 10th of April, the towboat Hercules blew up at the South West Pass, killing six persons and wounding five.

It is said by late dates from Santa Fe, received at St. Louis, Missouri, that the American miners were making as high as an ounce a day near that place; and could do better if water was more plenty.

The Whigs have carried the city of St. Louis, over Benton and Anti-Benton parties. J. N. Kennett is elected Mayor by 190 majority.

It is said a change in Gen. Taylor's Cabinet will soon take place.

The Homestead Exemption Bill has become a law in New York.

The Constitutional Convention of Ohio will consist of sixty Democrats, forty Whigs and eight Free Soilers.

Another Anti-Rent outrage has been perpetrated in the Manor of Livingston.

NAVAL.—The U. S. Revenue bark Polk, left her anchorage abreast of Jersey city, yesterday Apr. 12, at 12 M., for San Francisco. The following is a list of her officers: H. D. Hunter, Captain; John McGowan, C. W. Rennett, 1st Lieutenant; Wm. C. Pease, 1st Lieutenant and acting Master; K. S. Woodward, John Carson, 2nd Lieutenants; W. B. Richmond, W. A. Tension, N. S. Thompson, W. H. Gladding, G. H. Ritchie, 3d Lieutenants; C. H. Rockwell, Purser; Samuel Chester, Surgeon.

CUSTOM HOUSES AND POST OFFICES IN CALIFORNIA AND OREGON.—We understand that the administration are preparing a general system of Custom Houses and Post Offices in California and Oregon, and that it will go into effect in a few months. It is supposed that the contracts will be given to Moses H. Grinnell, Simon Draper, and other prominent Whigs of New York. It is not expected, however, that anything will be done in the matter till after the adjournment of Congress.—Herald.

THE CALIFORNIA EMIGRATION.—The

New York Herald of the 15th April, contains an article on the emigration to this country, from which we make the following interesting extract:—

The tide of emigration from the Atlantic and Western States to the golden region of California, continues to increase beyond anything we have ever heard of. There is not a steamer which leaves here for Chagres, that is not filled with adventurers, who have thrown up their occupations and business at home, abandoned all old occupations and old friends, families and acquaintances, for the purpose of trying their fortunes among the hills and valleys of that wonderful land with its wonderful deposits of gold. Two steamships, the Georgia and Cherokee, and one bark, sailed from this city on Saturday, with some seven hundred and eighty passengers; and the Empire city will leave to-day, with four hundred and seventy-five more, making in two days a drain of near thirteen hundred from the population of the old States, to be added to the new State on the Pacific. Such an immense emigration is without parallel in the history of this country. In fact, the California fever has become a mania, and the vast emigration which has already gone thither, and that which is expected, begins to excite alarm in some of the Western States, whose prosperity depends on the industry and labor of the very class of persons who are seeking California. There is every reason to believe that the overland emigration, during the present year will be immensely greater than that of the last, and fears are entertained that some of the extreme Western and South-western States will be depopulated.

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Monday Evening, May 20.

The arrival of the steamer, with large consignments of specie upon her manifest, is the principal topic of interest in commercial circles. The following are the consignances:

J. de Brunner, \$4,000; Jas. R. Bolton, \$22,000; John Parrott, \$23,120; Daniel W. Coit, \$24,350.90; B. Davidson, \$47,750.47; E. Vischer, \$26,450; Daniel W. Coit, \$44,892.50; E. Vischer, \$1100; Thos. Bell, \$14,083.25; M. Alsua, \$2,000; Medina, Hartog & Co., \$8,000; J. R. Bolton, \$8,200; do, \$16,000; J. E. Fernandez, \$12,000; Bolton & Barron, \$10,000; B. Davidson, \$3,600; Haven & Livingston, \$3,895.80; Total, \$267,745.92.

A large portion of this capital will seek permanent investment among us, adding to our commercial facilities, and curtailing prevalent high rates of interest.

The markets are resuming considerable activity; sales of all articles in demand are readily made at good prices; coffee and sugar maintain high quotations, sales being made to-day at 30c and 30c; tobacco is still advancing; 100 boxes spm candles sold to day at 65c; small lot of butter at 58c. Flour remains dull at \$11 75 to \$12, for whole sacks. Lumber remains without material change; arrivals still continue.

The Valparaiso Mercantile Reporter, of the 28th March, contains the following report of the market there:

The actual state of the market is less depressed than it has been for some time past, and a fair average business has been done during the month; buyers from the interior, and a few from Bolivia and Peru, having made purchases to some extent.

The still unsettled state of Bolivia prevents transactions of any extent for that quarter, and Cobija, the only port in the Republic, is now entirely shunned by shippers, in consequence of the vexatious regulations enforced there by the government, who have ordered strict searches on board of all vessels entering the port; arrests and imprisonments having taken place in some instances, owing, it is said, to the apprehension of an invasion by Gen. Ballivian, an absurd and ridiculous fabrication, devoid of the least foundation.

A speculation has been entered into this month, which stands unparalleled in the annals of Chilean commerce. A company has been formed, composed of three of the most wealthy and influential members of our community, for the purpose of supplying the California markets with Chilean flour, an article for which has recently been paid in California as high as \$30 and \$40 per bag of 20 lbs. The company has accordingly contracted with all the substantial millers of Santiago and Concepcion, for the exclusive purchase of all the flour they may produce for the next two years, at a sliding-scale price, to be regulated by the price of wheat at a fair average valuation, which is said to be \$5 per bag for flour, and 13 cents per fanega for wheat. It would appear to be the object of these parties to prevent, if possible, the extreme fluctuations, which have taken place in the price of Chilean flour, and the undertaking, if carried out as stated, will be one of great benefit to the population of California, and can scarcely be looked upon in the light of a monopoly.

With the exception of this transaction, there has been but little doing for California, the shipments for that quarter having fallen off very much. By the numerous and daily increasing vessels calling here from the United States, on the way to California, ship room has in many instances been obtained at low rates of freight, so that at the present moment no charter can be obtained here at less than \$16 to \$18 per ton, to load in port, and \$18 to \$20 to load at Talcahuana, a rate which, although apparently high, does not compensate for the enormous expenses and risks incurred by vessels going to that quarter.

Freight Notice.—Steamer Senator for Sacramento city.—Shippers by this vessel will confer a favor and prevent mistakes by having their goods distinctly marked, and ensure their getting on board by leaving orders, when lighters are required, at the office, the day before her sailing. Her days of leaving her usual berth are Thursdays, Saturdays and Mondays, on which days no goods will be received after 3 p. m. Charles Minturn, Agent.

Freight Notice.—All freight per steamer Gold Hunter, for Sacramento city, will be received on board the store-ship at Clark's point, free of charge for storage. To prevent mistakes, shippers will please mark their freight, "per Gold Hunter."

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MARRIED.

On the 20th inst. by the Rev. Dr. Mines, on board the steamship Oregon, Wm. M. Eddy, of San Francisco, to Miss Harriet Eckert, of Ithaca, N.Y.

MARINE NEWS.

Port of San Francisco.

CLEARED.

Monday, May 20.

By Georgiana, Brown, Valp. Sel Gen George Cadwallader, Robertson, Trinity river, 14 pass. Eng sel Cheerful, Clark, Tahiti, 1 pass.

ARRIVED.

U. S. M. Steamer Oregon, Lieut. Patterson, 18½ ds fm Panama, via Acapulco, Mazatlan and San Diego, to P.M.S. Co, 283 pass, 12 feu.

Bk Russell, Coleman, 20 ds fm Mowee, produce, &c, to C.W. Russell, 18 pass. Bk Nixus, 200 ds fm Boston, lumber &c to Capt.

MEMORANDA.

Per Oregon.—Left at 8 Diego, bk Hortense at Panama, Ap 27, steamer California, arrived 23d; Eng steamer Bolivia, 16 ds fm Callao, with \$670,000 in gold and silver, do; by Thos P Hart, \$7 ds hence; do; Eng sp Freeshire, 26 ds fm Callao, coal; Fr bk Ocean, 28 ds fm Valp; Eng sp Sea Queen, for this port soon; sp Sarah & Eliza, do; bk Mienno, do.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I have discovered with great surprise an editorial article in the Pacific News of the 18th inst., headed "Doings in the Harbor," in which the editor, referring to an ordinance of the Common Council, passed the night before, authorizing the Harbor Master to perform certain duties, holds the following language: "In the execution of these duties he ordered two vessels to take different berths from the one they then occupied."

The order was resisted; aid was called in, when the captain of one, an Englishman, drew a pistol, threatening and resisting the lawful officer of the port. In the mean time an injunction was granted by the Superior Court of San Francisco, under the enormous bond of one thousand dollars, staying the action of the Harbor Master. When this was announced, the defeat of this State Officer in the discharge of his duty was cheerfully cheered by the same captain, and the British flag hoisted in derision and contempt of the authority he had thus triumphantly braved.

It is presumed that the English Captain referred to here is M. J. Ashford, Esq., master of the Antelope, as neither of the other two had any Captain on board, and had no flag, though they are both foreign vessels.

It is but justice to Captain Ashford that I should state that I am the officer on board the Antelope and was present during the whole time the Deputy Harbor Master was on board the day referred to; that the above remarks of the Editor of the "News," so far as they are intended to apply to the Antelope, have not the semblance of truth in them: On the contrary, the Deputy Harbor Master met with no resistance whatever, but received the kindest and most polite treatment, and dined with Captain Ashford on board that day, besides treating all the men employed in removing the vessel (with his permission) to a glass of grog.

The injunction referred to was obtained in behalf of the other vessels, and no attention was paid to the subject on board the Antelope in the manner represented. The flag was raised as has been frequently done in compliment to several gentlemen who dined on board.

Richard H. Law.

We, the undersigned, having been on board the Antelope at the time referred to in the foregoing statement of the Inspector on board, and knowing the facts, fully concur in his statement.

H. H. McLean, H. H. Morrison, James Pearce, cl c

May 20th.

NOTICE.—The steamer McKim will be withdrawn for a week or ten days, to undergo repairs. Shippers by her are informed that their freight can be shipped by the Gold Hunter, which will be continued on her present route until the McKim commences running again.

SIMMONS, HUTCHINSON & Co.

Foot of Clay street.

NOTICE. The following consignees, per ship Orpheus, from Valparaiso, are requested to take away their goods within three days, otherwise they will be sold to pay freight and expenses.—Leonardo Munier, Jose Maria Mira, Messrs. Wm. May & Co., Messrs. H. Scholten and de Heden & Co., Messrs. Scott & Co., or E. D. Healey & Co., Mr. Henry Watson, Messrs. Probst, Smith & Co. For orders to receive goods, apply to John S. Manson, 5 Sacramento st., up stairs.

May 21.

JEWELRY.—Just received by the steamer Oregon, a large and splendid assortment of Jewelry, consisting of M. J. Thomas & Co's double case gold watches, diamond pins and do, rings, gold vest and guard chains, gold spectacles, do, snuff boxes, silver spoons and forks, Louis XIV style, and various other articles, which will be sold cheap for cash. John W. Davis, Montgomery st., next door to Pacific.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—James Smiley and Thos. R. Korn have associated themselves together under the firm of Smiley, Korn & Co, for the transaction of a hardware and general business, at the store lately occupied by Neall & Smiley, on Washington street below Kearny street.

Jas. Smiley, J. R. Korn, cl c

MEBES, DUSENBEIG & CO.—Kearny st, between Jackson and Pacific sts; have just received, and offer for sale, 50 thousand superior Havana cigars, 10 this sour krout. Besides, they have always at hand, an assortment of wines, viz, champagne, claret, hock, port wine, sh

KNOW ALL MEN by these presents, That we, Ezra P. Hoyt and John M. Maxwell, citizens of the United States, in accordance with the laws of Congress for the settlement of unsurveyed lands and the right of purchase by pre-emption the same, hereby give notice that we have by survey taken possession of a certain piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the State of California, and is distinguished as follows: commencing at the eastern point of the first Island within the entrance of a certain river discharging its waters into the Pacific ocean, in latitude thirty-one degrees and between thirty-three and thirty-five minutes, north, thence south along the line of lands pre-empted by Geo. B. Billeman and Wm. A. Hays sixty-four chains, thence west forty chains, thence north seventy chains, thence east to place of beginning, containing two hundred and sixty-eight acres, be it the same more or less. Which land we intend to occupy and cultivate for our own use, benefit and interest, and all persons are hereby forbidden trespassing upon the same.

Witness our hands and seal, this Thirtieth day of May, 1850.
H. Winchester, Agent,
for Ezra P. Hoyt, Esq.,
John M. Maxwell, Esq.,
In presence of,
Jas. Burbank, Clerk.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
County of San Francisco.
Personally appeared, this 20th day of May, A. D. 1850, H. Winchester, the signer and sealer of the foregoing instrument, who being duly sworn, testifies and says that he is agent for the parties herein named, and that the lands were located as therein described.

Subscribed and sworn to the day and year first above written.
H. Winchester, Agent,
before me—Jas. O'Grady,
Dep. Co. Recorder.

KNOW ALL MEN by these presents, That we, the undersigned, citizens of the United States, in accordance with the laws of Congress regulating the settlement of unsurveyed lands and the right of purchase therefor by pre-emption, have taken possession of a certain piece or parcel of land, situated, lying and being in the State of California, and is distinguished by a certain survey made on the day and date hereof, as follows: commencing at the eastern point of the first Island within the entrance of a certain river, in latitude forty-one degrees and between thirty-three and thirty-five minutes, north, thence south along the line of lands pre-empted by Geo. B. Billeman and Wm. A. Hays sixty-four chains, thence west forty chains, thence north seventy chains, thence east to place of beginning, containing two hundred and sixty-eight acres, be it the same more or less. Which land we intend to occupy and cultivate for our own use, benefit and interest, and all persons are hereby forbidden trespassing upon the same.

Witness our hands this tenth day of May, A. D. 1850.
H. Winchester, Agent,
for Geo. B. Billeman, Esq.,
Wm. A. Hays, Esq.,
In presence of,
Jas. B. Billeman.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
County of San Francisco.
Personally appeared, this 20th day of May, A. D. 1850, H. Winchester, the signer and sealer of the foregoing instrument, who being duly sworn, testifies and says that he is agent for the parties herein named, and that the lands were located as therein described.

Subscribed and sworn to the day and year first above written.
H. Winchester, Agent,
before me—Jas. O'Grady,
Dep. Co. Recorder.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—Know all men by these presents, That I, Milton Nelson, of the county of San Francisco, and State of California, a citizen of the same, and a citizen of the United States, did take possession of and locate the following described premises, the 1st day of October, A. D. 1850, and since that time have lived upon, or in the immediate vicinity of said premises, and held exclusive possession of the same to all intents and purposes. And I intend to hold the same as being my own property, to the exclusion of all parties whatsoever, pretending to claim under any pretence whatsoever: Commencing at a point now known as the New Burying Ground, in the said county, near the city of San Francisco, at the southwest corner of said burying ground, and running thence west one hundred rods, thence northerly to the Presidio road one hundred and fifty rods, more or less; thence easterly to the Spring Garden Brook, thence south to place of beginning; said tract of land embracing one hundred and twenty-five acres, more or less.

Witness hand and seal this 17th day of May, A. D. 1850.

Milton Nelson, [s.]
Signed and sealed in presence of,
Philip A. Canes.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.
County of San Francisco.
Personally appeared, this 17th day of May, A. D. 1850, Milton Nelson, the signer and sealer of the foregoing instrument, who being duly sworn, testifies and says that the facts set forth in the foregoing instrument as aforesaid are true.

Milton Nelson
Subscribed and sworn to the day and year first above written, before me,
Jas. O'Grady,
Dep. Co. Recorder.

COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO. Sec.
San Francisco.
JUSTICE'S COURT, 24 Township—
Wm. M. Hoffman, Justice of the Peace.

Office, Make's Building, Clay st, south side, between Kearny and Montgomery sts.
Court hours, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

HUTTON & TIMMERMAN,
Shipping and Commission Merchants,
CLARK'S POINT.

ALWAYS ON HAND, SHIP SUPPLIES AND STORES FOR MINERS.

Lighters to let and ships discharged.
H. & T. have effected an arrangement with an experienced person, who takes charge of the lightering business.

Captains of vessels, or consignees, by entrusting the discharge of their cargoes to them, may be assured it will be properly attended to, and at reduced prices.

FOR PANAMA.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Steamer Oregon, Lieut. C. P. Patterson, commander, will leave for Panama, making the usual stoppages, on Saturday, June 1, 1850, at 1 P. M. Passengers are requested to be on board at noon of that day.

Treasure for shipment received at the Company's office, foot of Sacramento st., on Thursday, the 30th, and until noon of Friday, the 31st inst. The Oregon will connect with the steamer Cherokee, to leave Chagres on arrival of the passengers and treasure.

Through tickets, and through bills of lading granted by
Alfred Robinson, Agent,
foot of Sacramento st.

FOR SANTA CRUZ. Monterey, Santa Barbara, San Pedro and San Diego.—The fast sailing clipper brig Archelus, Crosby, master, will have immediate dispatch for the above ports. For freight or passage apply to
Woodworth & Morris,
clay st, wharf.

FOR PANAMA.—The A. 1 new clipper schooner B. L. Allen, Capt. John C. Carter, will sail for the above port on Saturday next (positively.) For freight or passage apply to
Tay, Pence & Willis,
cor clay and Montgomery sts.

FOR PANAMA DIRECT.—The fast sailing brig Sacramento, W. Haven, master, will sail on the 1st proximo, for the above port, and can accommodate a few passengers. For freight or passage apply to
Robt. Smith & Co.,
lower California st.

SAN FRANCISCO Package Express.—The undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has commenced to run an Express in this city, for the purpose of conveying packages of all kinds, from 200 lbs to a single letter, from one part of the city to another. Office, Woodworth & Morris, central wharf.

Places of Reference.—Chinese Restaurant, opposite City Hotel; Cook, Baker & Co., cor California and Montgomery sts; Wilcox & Spelling, Bookstore, opposite Alta California office, clay st; New York Hotel, cor Pacific and Stockton sts; the Eastern Barber Shop, cor Pacific and Kearny sts; Central House, Jackson st; Dewitt & Harrison's, Sansone st; Mantow & Co., cor Montgomery and Washington sts.

All orders left before 9 o'clock, A. M. will be punctually delivered before 11; and those left after 9 and before 2, will be delivered before 4 o'clock.

P. S. All orders thankfully received and punctually attended to.
Theodore W. Titus.

SILVER PLATED Forks and Spoons.—Just received per steamer Oregon, a small invoice of forks and spoons, plain and threaded, heavy silver plated on best German silver. Woodworth & Morris, clay st, wharf.

GREGORY'S NEW YORK EXPRESS.—Gold dust forwarded and insured through to New York (the risk of the Istms included) by every steamer, and forwarded to any part of the Union. Also, messages and parcels forwarded without detention on the route. Business orders, for the States, promptly executed.

The proprietor of this Express, assisted by his son, will attend personally to business in any of the mining districts, leaving the office, San Francisco, the day after the arrival of the next Pacific steamer, and returning with the mines in season to dispatch a special messenger by the steamer for the States. Drafts on New York in sums to suit purchasers.

Office in San Francisco, Hutton & Timmerman's, Clark's Point.
Joseph W. Gregory, Proprietor.
Office in New York, 60 Pearl street.
Jas. C. Thompson, Agent.

FOREIGN AND INLAND EXPRESS.
HAYEN & LIVINGSTON, San Francisco, California, in connection with Livingston, Wells & Co., New York, having Agencies in all the principal Atlantic cities, Great Britain and France, offer their services in the various branches of their business.

Bullion, gold dust, packages, &c., received and forwarded to any of the above places. Orders filled, and the articles returned with the utmost dispatch.

Drafts on New York, Philadelphia, and other large cities.
Articles of value received for safe keeping.

Offices, in New York, 10 Wall street, in Philadelphia, 43 South Third street.
Haven & Livingston.

303 Montgomery street, next to the corner of Sacramento street. Lxxxviii u

TODD & BRYAN'S Stockton and San Francisco Express. communicating with all parts of the southern mines, and connecting in San Francisco with Adams & Co's and Haven & Livingston's Expresses, to all parts of the United States.

Office in San Francisco, with Adams & Co. Lxxxix u

BOOK STORE.
WILSON & SPALDING, Stationer's Hall, on Clay street, opposite the Police Office, San Francisco, and also at their branch establishment on Front street, Sacramento City, where they offer for sale BOOKS, wholesale and retail, on liberal terms—a great variety, making the most splendid collection of fifty thousand volumes. Stationery, Blank Books, Journals, Ledgers, Day Books, Record Books, and a general assortment of other articles in their line. Just received a large invoice of splendid Spanish, French and German books, from Paris. An excellent assortment of school books, Sanders' series, and also 2000 new novels. The Ready Reckoner.

N. B. Second hand books purchased on liberal terms. Gold dust and California coins bought. Lxxxix u

JUSTICES COURT,
[FORTHMOSE SQUARE.]
EDWARD MCGOWAN, Justice of the Peace for the first township of San Francisco, and Associate Justice for the Court of Quarter Sessions of the county, takes this method of informing the gentlemen of the Bar, and all others who may have business to transact in the Justice's Court, in the first township, that he has located himself in the building formerly occupied by Judge Geary, late Alameda, on the Plaza, where he will punctually attend to all suits that may be entrusted to him.

Mr. Thos. H. Ferris, the officer elected for this, will be in attendance at this office. Lxxxix u

100 KEES Cut nails, 40 lbs boxes
beef, 30 do prime pork, 100 wheelbarrows, 10,000 ft plank and boards, invoices of ware, do crockery, do hardware, 5 lbs charcoal, 4000 bricks.

Also, 1 pile driver, weighing apparatus, 250 lb, blacksmith's forge and bellows, the cargo of brig Reindeer. For sale by
Geo. N. Shaw & Co.,
Battery st, foot of Pine st.

NOTICE.—The cargo per Capt. Ahrens, from Talcabanna and Tonic, has as yet not been claimed, and the demurrage of \$35 per day, since the 5th of April has not been paid. Notice is hereby given, that the cargo will be sold, if the remainder of the freight and the full amount of demurrage is not paid within five days.
San Francisco, May 15, 1850.

Wm. Hoppe & Co.,
Agents for Capt. Ahrens, Sacramento st, between Kearny and Dupont. Lxxxi u

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby warned against purchasing or renting of the assignees of Ward & Co, any of the property, Nos. 278 and 282 Montgomery street, the same belonging to me.
Henry M. Naglee,
San Francisco, April 20 '50. Lxxxi u

NOTICE.—Thomas J. Haynes is hereby constituted my lawful agent and attorney, and is duly authorized to act for me and transact all matters of business wherein I am concerned, during my absence from California.
N. H. Wyse.

EXPECTED HOME. The ship Lord Hungerford, from Canton, with a splendidly assorted Chinese cargo
Lxxxi u
Porter & Co.

COPARTNERSHIP Notice.—John Middleton of Philadelphia, and John M. Hood of New York, have associated themselves together, under the firm of Middleton & Hood, for the purpose of transacting a general Auction and Commission business in this city, and have taken the large, fire proof, brick store of C. L. Ross, corner of Washington and Montgomery sts.
John Middleton,
John M. Hood.

References.—Messrs. Sp. Pills & Co., auctioneers, New York; Wm. Tucker & Rice & Mason, Boston; Myers, Claghorn & Co., Robert Patterson & Co., James Page, Esq., Philadelphia.

NOTICE. Arnold Woolerton has withdrawn from the concern of McKinley & Co, having sold out on the 28th of March, A. D. 1850, at his right, title and interest therein to Alfred Edmonston, who is admitted into, and has become a member of said firm in the place and stead of said Woolerton. The business of the present concern will be carried on under the same style as heretofore, and will adjust and settle all accounts due by the previous concern. Dated, San Francisco, May 3, 1850.

J. J. Chauviteau,
F. J. McKinley,
Arnold Woolerton,
Alfred Edmonston.

THE interest of Mr. N. E. Smith in the firm of F. Vassault & Co., San Francisco, and Smith, Bessley & Co., Sacramento City, ceases from this date: he having disposed of the same to Mr. M. S. Martin and Wm. F. Roelofson, who are admitted as partners. The business will be continued hereafter under the style of

F. Vassault & Co.,
San Francisco,
Starr, Bessley & Co.,
Sacramento City.

COPARTNERSHIP Notice.—Henry S. Fitch having associated with him James M. Lemon, the general auction and commission business, will hereafter be conducted under the firm of Fitch & Co, at the store formerly occupied by H. S. Fitch, on Montgomery street, between Clay and Washington streets, share of public patronage is most respectfully solicited.

Henry S. Fitch,
James M. Lemon.

San Francisco, April 22, '50. Lxxvii u

DISSOLUTION OF Partnership.—The partnership heretofore existing under the firm of H. Hughes, Piche & Co., in San Francisco, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. A. Hughes having retired, the business will continue under the firm of

Piche & Bayereque.
San Francisco, March 3, 1850. Lxxviii u

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Hewes & Cutter,
Central wharf.

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day associated themselves together, for the purpose of transacting a general Commission and Shipping business under the firm of Dungan, Moore & Penland. San Francisco, May 1, 1850.

A. S. Dungan,
Chas. Moore,
Chas. H. Penland.

THE Partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Stickney, Thaxter & Co, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued under the same title, by Robt. McLellan, who is authorized to settle all outstanding affairs of the concern. Stickney, Thaxter & Co, San Francisco, May 1, 1850. Lxxviii u

ASSIGNEES NOTICE.—We, the undersigned, assignees of Messrs. Ward & Co, appointed by an assignment bearing date on the 15th March, inst, hereby give notice to the creditors of said Ward & Co, to present a statement of their claims to James C. Ward, at the store of R. Wells & Co, on Montgomery street. Those who are indebted to the firm are particularly requested to make immediate payment.

James C. Ward,
Tabbot H. Green,
Geo. H. Howard.

P. S. Many of the papers of Ward & Co, having been destroyed at the late fire, creditors are requested to furnish written statements of their claims to the assignees as above. Lxxviii u

ASSIGNEES NOTICE.—We, the undersigned, having been appointed assignees of Mr. John A. Clark, by an assignment bearing date 24th April, inst, hereby give notice of the same and request all persons indebted to the said John A. Clark, to make immediate payment. And those having claims, will please present a statement of the same to Harvey Sparks & Co, at their office, Gothic Hall, corner of Montgomery and Jackson streets.

Harvey Sparks, Assignees,
J. Stoll Cronk.

NOTICE.—Having seen an advertisement signed H. M. Naglee, referring to certain property on Montgomery street, this is to notify the public that said property does belong to the estate of Ward & Co, and must continue to belong to said estate until the foreclosure of the mortgage which said Naglee holds on the property. Being legally in possession, we only have the right to lease or sell the same. San Francisco, April 23d, 1850.

Jas. C. Ward, Assignee,
Tabbot H. Green, Ward & Co,
Geo. H. Howard. Lxxviii u

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EXPECTED HOME. The ship Lord Hungerford, from Canton, with a splendidly assorted Chinese cargo
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Porter & Co.

AUCTION SALES.

J. B. Folger, Auctioneer.

BY MOORE, FOLGER & HILL.

MORTGAGE SALE.—By virtue of a Mortgage, bearing date on the eleventh day of February, eighteen hundred and fifty, executed by Salisbury Haley and Robert Haley, of Stephen A. Wright and John Thompson, and duly assigned by the said Wright and Thompson to the undersigned, we will sell at public auction on the premises, on Wednesday next, the 22d inst., at 11 o'clock, all that certain lot of land in the city of San Francisco, commencing fifty-three feet nine and one-half inches from the corner of Kearny and Washington streets, fronting on Washington street forty feet nine and one-half inches, running back forty-nine feet nine inches, being the same lot upon which the HALEY HOUSE stood before the fire of the fourth instant. Said sale to take place to satisfy the sum due on said mortgage, principal and interest.

J. C. Palmer,
C. W. Cook,
Geo. W. Wright,
E. Jones.

F. B. FOLGER, Auctioneer.

MOORE, FOLGER & HILL. Montgomery st, near Washington st, will sell on Tuesday, 21st inst, at 10 o'clock, a great variety of seasonal articles, among which are:

5000 lbs loaf sugar, coffee, rice
50 boxes sperm candles
25 lbs gimpy and young hyson tea
Mustard, chocolate, tobacco
40 lbs tobacco in 20 lbs boxes
10 lbs dried apples in liquor casks
10 lbs N. Y. city sugar cured hams
50 half sacks flour
25 doz champagne ciders.

Owner wanted for a black leather trunk, saved from the late fire.

Also, 15 cases thick boots, 100 lbs prime pork, 100 lbs sperm candles, 50 do alum do, 10 lbs dried apples, 2 salamander safes, 6 iron money chests, 25 sacks chili bread, 1 bale 4-4 brown shirting, 1 do blue muslin, 1 do red and orange do, lot of prints and blue jeans, 25 lbs superior honey dew tobacco, 15 whole boxes tobacco.

JOHN MIDDLETON, Auctioneer.
MIDDLETON & HOOD will sell on Tuesday morning, May 21st, at 10 o'clock, at sales room, corner of Washington and Montgomery sts.

50 lbs prime pork, 5000 lbs superior hams, 50 lbs dried apples, 50 do peaches, 200 kegs water crackers, 1000 lbs superior butter, 50 boxes port wine, 150 do cognac brandy, 50 do madeira wine, 100 kegs champagne brandy, 500 pieces wall paper, 5000 lbs zinc in casks, 50 boxes burgundy wine, 50 inch panel doors, 200 pair outside window blinds, 172 window sash, primed and glazed, 9x12, 8x10, and 7x9; two gilt metal letters, numbers, commas, dots, &c, &c, asst sizes, 11, 9 and 7 inch; 2 superior grates and fire places.

Lisbon cargo of superior Liquors—20 qr casks malaga wine, 20 qr do madeira wine, 40 one-fourth do do, 20 do port wine, 30 one-fourth do do, 50 one-fifth do cognac brandy, superior; 50 one-fifth do white do, 10 lbs, ten cang each, olive oil; 20 kegs pearl barley, 100 boxes superior honey dew tobacco, 5, 7 and 10 lbs boxes. Lxxviii u

Also, 150 whole sacks fresh flour.
Also, 200 sacks fresh chili flour, 100 half do do, 30 lbs spiced cheese, 100 cases preserved meats, 200 lbs green peas, 300 yds 4-4 matting, 75 sacks fresh rice, 500 lbs zinc in casks, 500 lbs sheet iron, 19 lbs French tacks, 100 pair boots and breeches.

On account of whom it may concern, two large pumps, left at our store ten days ago.

Also, a patent force pump, with hose. Lxxviii u

JOHN MIDDLETON, Auctioneer.
HOUSE FOR SALE.—Middleton & Hood will sell on Tuesday morning, May 21, at 12 o'clock, at sales room, on Washington and Montgomery sts.

A house on Kearny st, near Pacific st, (west side). The house is 20 feet front by 65 feet, 2 stories high, large room on first floor, 20 by 32 feet, room of store same size; ten rooms, (small) well fitted up; the lot on which the house stands is leased for three years, with privilege of one or two years more, from the 1st of October last, at the rent of \$200 per month, payable in advance. This house is nearly opposite the Pacific News office. Lxxviii u

BY J. B. CANNON & Co, Auctioneers.
BARK MARTIN W. BRETT, at auction—Will be sold on the 25th instant, to the highest bidder, the American bark Martin W. Brett, 228 tons register, built in and built at Machias, State of Maine, in the year 1842. She has very commodious and extensive accommodations for passengers, and is a remarkably fast sailer. Her inventory can be seen, and all other information obtained on application to Messrs. Cross, Hobson & Co, or to the subscribers.

On Tuesday, amongst numerous other goods, which will be hereafter mentioned, a quantity of blankets will be sold for account of whom it may concern.

J. B. Cannon & Co, Auctioneers,
iron store, Montgomery, near California st. Lxxviii u

COLLINS AUCTION WAREHOUSE.—Having completed his large warehouse on Sansone street, between Jackson and Washington sts, the undersigned is now prepared to sell at auction or private sale, all kinds of real estate, and all kinds of merchandise in general. His wharf and warehouse are accessible by lighters at nearly all tides, admitting, without expense of wharfage or cartage to purchaser or consignee, of the landing or reshipping of goods, an item, in this city, of no inconsiderable amount. Liberal advances on consignments. Goods stored at the usual rates. Gold dust bought. Exchange on Boston, New York and New Orleans.

John A. Collins.
Mr. E. H. Castle, General Agent.

JUST RECEIVED, per Herculean and bark Orion, and for sale by the subscribers, 1000 lbs fresh butter in kegs, 2000 lbs English dairy and pineapple cheese, dried apples in qrs, cranberries in 10 do, 200 kegs sour kruit, 50 cases champagne ciders, 40 do superior cherry brandy, 200 lbs herring in tins, 60 doz brandy and pie fruits, 40 jars honey, 20 fraills dates, 50 cases chocolate, 20 do cocoa, 500 tons butter, water and soda crackers, a superior article, 15 cases axes and 15 doz ax helves, 40 doz masons' and garden trowels, 60 doz cocoa handled knives, 100 lbs copper tacks, 15 cases fine boots and shoes.

Also, 500 sacks chili flour, 80 cases champagne, 500 do claret, 30 kegs French brandy, 18 gal each, 2 pipes superior do, and 6-8 inch Colt's revolvers.

Hewes, Selover & Co,
Central Wharf.

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AUCTION SALES.

Wm. J. Sherwood, Auctioneer.

BY FAYNE & SHERWOOD.

Store No. 217 Montgomery street, between Jackson and Washington sts.

THIS DAY, TUESDAY, MAY 21.

Billiard tables, &c. At 11 o'clock, at their auction store, billiard tables, with cues, balls, &c, all complete. May be examined previous to sale at our store. Lxxvii u

Also, cargo lumber consisting of 63,308 feet oak plank, 1 inch thick, 11,550 feet, 11 inch do, 1843 feet, 2 inch do, 12,160 feet super oak scantling, 3x4 and 4x5. Also, 5000 feet oak shals for weatherboards. 11,488 feet super Guayaquil cedar plank, 100 pieces round timber, 25x30 ft long, the above lumber will be found worthy attention of dealers and boat builders. Lxxvii u

Also, 4 superior lumber wagons, made in best manner, 4 sets double harness, complete, 2 superior new cooking stoves. Also, 50 lbs pickled salmon, 100 lbs prime pork, 150 boxes extra spin candles, 200 kegs Rosendale cement, 60 cases cheese, 50 boxes cognac brandy, 25 cases pickles. Lxxvii u

Also, 100 lbs molasses and syrup.
For account of whom it may concern—200 whole sacks chili flour, 2000 pieces paper hangings, 100 cases asst cordials, 30 rolls Canton matting, 50 cases lavender, 30 cases port wine, 3 large and splendid gold scales with weights, all complete. Lxxvii u

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, MAY 22 & 23.
Large and extensive sale, at 10 o'clock, in front of the premises of Messrs. Starkey, Janion & Co, foot of California st, consisting of a great variety of general merchandise, viz., lumber, houses, carts, flour, hams, ale, porter, wines, &c, &c. Also, Bysse ale in casks and cases, manilla biscuit cigars, &c.

Also, dry goods, rugs, satins, cotton huffs, fancy fringes, hosiery, cotton threads, white cotton, blankets, ponches, &c, ready made clothing of all kinds, cloth caps, &c, boots and shoes of all kinds; hardware, such as castors, lamps, butts, hinges, knives, nails, &c, shoe brushes, paint and clothes do, comprising a large and extensive assortment of goods, too numerous to mention.

This sale will be worthy attention. Terms cash, sale positive. Lxxvii u

COLE & CO, Auctioneers.
BAR-ROOM and Restaurant Furniture for sale, and House and Lot to lease—We shall sell to-morrow, Tuesday, May 21st, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the premises on Kearny st, two doors north of Washington market—

Bar-room and restaurant furniture, consisting in part of 2 elegant gilt-framed mirrors, a beautiful oil painting, gilt frame, 4 gilt framed engravings, 2 mahogany tables, 2 astral lamps, 4 candlesticks, 2 brass clocks, decanters, tumblers, cigars, ale, porter, liquors, together with various other articles. Also, 1 large new tent. Lxxvii u

WM. H. JONES, Auctioneer.
VALUABLE Real Estate at Auction, without reserve—On Thursday, June 3, at 12 o'clock, on the premises, the following desirable real estate, situated in Montgomery st, between Mr. Naglee's banking house and Delmonico's, a plot of building ground, being 32 ft front, and 60 feet deep, now in the occupation of Wm. C. Jewett. Also, in Exchange Court, with a right of road thereto from Montgomery st, a plot of ground 10x40 feet, in the occupation of Healy & Co. Terms, one-fourth cash, and the remainder in equal payments of 3, 6 and 9 months. Further particulars at the time of sale. Lxxvii u

HENRY S. FITCH, Auctioneer.
FITCH & Co—Auction and Commission Merchants.—Montgomery st, between Clay and Washington sts—Merchandise Sales Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Sales of Real Estate, Lumber, Houses, Vessels, &c, as occasion requires. At private sale house and store rooms. Also several vessels. Agents for the sale of Placer City Lots. Henry S. Fitch. Jas. M. Lemon. Lxxvii u

BENJAMIN KENDIG, Auctioneer.
BENJAMIN KENDIG & CO,
DEG LEAVE to tender their services to the community of San Francisco for the sale of real estate and out-door sales. Having engaged the services of a superior surveyor and draughtsman, they will at all times be ready to have plans of property placed in their hands for sale, shown to the best advantage, and their unremitting attention given to the disposal of the same, either by public auction or private sale.

References.—Messrs. Burgoyne & Co, Winston & Simmons, Col. John C. Hays, Gen. P. A. Morse, San Francisco; Peters & Millard, Kelley & Coningham, Messrs. M. W. White & Co, New Orleans.

Office on clay st, between Montgomery and Kearny sts, formerly Finley, Johnson & Co's counting room. Lxxix u

P. M. SCOFFEY Auctioneer.
PRINTING PRESSES and Materials to be sold by Scoffey & Kelsey, on the arrival of the steamship Sarah Sands.

1 Newspaper Office complete, consisting of a super-rapid press, type, and all the materials necessary for an entire establishment.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, Fourth Judicial District, within and for the county of San Francisco, state of California, to me directed, in the case of Edward E. Dunbar against the First Alameda and Council of the town of San Francisco, wherein a judgment was rendered in favor of said Dunbar for \$25,000, and \$1,614.50 costs of suit, there will be sold at public auction, in front of the Alameda office, Portsmouth square, on Friday, May 21st inst., at 11 o'clock, a. m., of said day, the following valuable city lots, to wit:

City lots levied on by this execution, May 7th, 1850:

Fifty Vara Lots.
Nos. 301 345 346 352 357 358 462
464 506 568 583 589 590 591 592 593
594 597 598 635 637 638 639 640 641
642 644 645 646 647 648 649 650 651
732 733 736 740 741 749 831 832 833
834 835 842 857 858 859 860 861 880
881 890 891 892 893 894 895 896 897
925 946 947 952 953 970 1021 1022
1023 1024 1025 1026 1027 1028 1069
1070 1071 and 1072.

One Hundred Vara Lots.
Nos. 155 156 159 160 161 162 163
164 168 169 170 174 175 176 191 201
and 203.

Beach and Water Lots, 45 feet 10 inches in front, by 137 feet 6 inches in depth, more or less.

Nos. 290 291 292 301 302 309 311
312 313 319 320 321 322 326 352 371
372 420 421 422 424 445 446 447 448
449 450 451 452 453 454 455 456 457
463 508 509 510 511 514 515 516 517
534 580 588 606 611 618 652 653 654
655 678 682 719 721 724 726 767 770
and 772.

And the following Fifty Vara Lots.
Nos. 781 782 783 784 785 787 788
789 790 791 792 793 808 809 816 817
818 819 820 843 848 849 856 878 879
1029 1030 1031 1032 1033 1034 1035
1036 1073 1074 1075 1076 1103 1104
1105 1132 1133 1158 1159 1183 1201
1304 1311 1315 1377 1379 1400 1411
1432 1433 1437 409 934 1440 1448 1339
1343 427 410 147 148 150 151
152 153 154 155 156 157 158 159
160 161 162 163 164 165 166 167.

John C. Hays, sheriff.

By John S. Powers, deputy sh.

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1023 1024 1025 1026 1027 1028 1069
1070 1071 and 1072.

One Hundred Vara Lots.
Nos. 155 156 159 160 161 162 163
164 168 169 170 174 175 176 191 201
and 203.

Beach and Water Lots, 45 feet 10 inches in front, by 137 feet 6 inches in depth, more or less.

Nos. 290 291 292 301 302 309 311
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449 450 451 452 453 454 455 456 457
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534 580 588 606 611 618 652 653 654
655 678 682 719 721 724 726 767 770
and 772.

And the following Fifty Vara Lots.
Nos. 781 782 783 784 785 787 788
789 790 791 792 793 808 809 816 817
818 819 820 843 848 849 856 878 879
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1105 1132 1133 1158 1159 1183 1201
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1432 1433 1437 409 934 1440 1448 1339
1343 427 410 147 148 150 151
152 153 154 155 156 157 158 159
160 161 162 163 164 165 166 167.

John C. Hays, sheriff.

By John S. Powers, deputy sh.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of two writs of *venditio exponens*, issued out of the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, county of San Francisco, and State of California, at the suit of Starkey, Janion & Co. against J. J. Bryant, and to me directed, I shall expose to sale, at the court house door of said court, in the city of San Francisco, on Friday, May 24th inst., at 12 o'clock, a. m., of said day, a part of the following lots of land, situate within the said city, and designated upon the map of said city, with the numbers as described below, to wit: Part of subdivided lot No. 218, cor. Polson and Simmons streets; part of subdivided lot No. 202, on mission street, between Fifth and Simmons streets; part of lot No. 1293, northeast corner Green and Hyde streets; part of lot No. 1294, southwest corner Union and Hyde streets; part of lot No. 1297, south side Union st, between Leavenworth and Hyde sts; part of lot No. 1295, northwest corner Union and Hyde sts; part of lot No. 1304, southwest corner Union and Larkin sts; all the above named lots having been by me sold on the 31 day of May, a. m., 1850, and as some of the lots thus subdivided as aforesaid, and staked off, have not been paid for by the persons who bid off the same at the sale aforesaid, the same will be re-sold on the 24th inst., as aforesaid, at the expense of said purchasers. 25 per cent. required from the purchaser at the time of sale, or the lots will be re-sold.

John C. Hays, sheriff.

By Jno. S. Powers, Deputy Sh. San Francisco, May 18th, 1850.

SQUARE Timber for sale.—Of all sizes, from 6x6 to 12x12, just arrived from Oregon, per brig Sarah McFarland, and will be sold low to clear the wharf of cargo. Inquire of G. H. Beach, Sacramento st.

POWDER.—A constant supply of Du Pont's manufacture, in canisters and kegs, on hand, for sale by

Winston & Simmons, 208 Montgomery, near Pacific st.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, Fourth Judicial District, within and for the county of San Francisco, state of California, to me directed, in the case of Wm. M. Birdsell against the City of San Francisco, there will be sold at public auction, on Thursday, the 6th day of June, a. m., 1850, at 12 o'clock, at noon of said day, on the premises situate in Happy Valley, near the water's edge, the following described property to wit: one pair oxen, one being sick, one wagon, also, one third part, or the right, title and interest of said Birdsell, of and to the new sheep pen, of about 30 tons burthen, likewise five fine hogs, and one two-story house in Fremont st, opposite to lot 144 on said street. Said house being erected in Fremont st.

John C. Hays, Sheriff.

By John S. Powers, Deputy Sh. San Francisco, May 15, 1850.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, State of California, District of San Francisco, at the suit of J. W. Stout vs. W. Stout, and to me directed, I will expose at public sale at the Town Hall, in front of the Court House, (late Graham House), in the city of San Francisco, on Monday, the 27th day of May instant, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following named real estate, to wit: a lot of ground containing fifty Spanish varas square (more or less) with a good frame house thereon, containing 6 rooms, and is a desirable residence, situate at the north-east corner of Kearny and Pine sts, being lot No. 276, on the map of the city of San Francisco. John C. Hays, sheriff, only 21st inst.

By B. E. Harley, deputy sh.

TO ALL to whom these presents may come, I, John Joyce, of Humboldt Harbor, in Trinity Bay, Upper California, greeting.

Know ye, that I, the said John Joyce, under and by virtue of the laws of the United States, did, on the 6th day of May, in the year 1850, enter the following described farm of land, situate in Humboldt Harbor, Trinity Bay, near the shore of the Pacific Ocean, in Upper California, beginning at low water mark, on the westerly shore of Humboldt Harbor, and distant from the northern point of land at the mouth of said harbor, one half of an English mile, and runs thence north along said harbor at low water mark, one half of an English mile; thence at right angles, in a westerly direction, one half of an English mile; thence south at right angles, one half of an English mile; thence east at right angles, one half of an English mile to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and sixty acres of land.

That I have made the same my residence, and am now in the actual occupation thereof; that I have taken and shall maintain my title to said lands, and by all constitutional and legislative authority, hold my right of pre-emption to the same, under the laws of the United States now in force and to be enacted.

And this instrument is executed, acknowledged and recorded, as required by law.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this sixth day of May, 1850.

JOHN JOYCE.

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of

J. V. Joyce, J. O. Grady, J. C. Grady.

County of San Francisco,)

Personally appeared, this 17th day of May, a. m., 1850, John Joyce, the signer and sealer of the foregoing instrument, to me known, and acknowledged that he executed the same for the purposes therein mentioned, and of his own free will and deed.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, the day and year first above written. Jas. O'Grady, Deputy County Recorder.

FIRE PROOF SAFES.—Simmons, Robinson & Co., agents; Edwards, Holman & Co., the manufacturers; offer for sale an assortment of their fire-proof safes and chests, just landed, among which is one with double door, and suitable for a banker or for public Recorder.

The following is one of many certificates in our possession.

Boston, March 13, 1848.

Messrs. Edwards, Holman & Co.:

Gentlemen.—Having been located in the block on Washington street where the great fire occurred on Friday night last, and being made sufferers by the event, we have the satisfaction to find that the contents of our safe, which one of your manufactures, have not only been preserved, but are entirely unimpaired.

It is our pleasure, therefore, to recommend your "Improved Salamander Safes" to the notice of the public, as being unquestionably "safe" the fact of which we have fully tested. Respectfully yours,

John Earle, Jr. & Co.

NEW STORE ON Sansome street. The subscribers having purchased and made alterations in the building formerly occupied by Mr. Wissell as a hotel, are now prepared to supply the wants of their customers more fully than can be done at any other store in this city. We are constantly receiving from the States and intend to keep at all times on hand, a full assortment of clothing, furnishing goods, boots and shoes, hats and caps, fancy goods, guns and pistols, powder, shot and caps, blankets, mining tools, trunks, carpet bags, &c. &c., and shall endeavor to live up to our old motto of "large sales and small profits." Persons going to the mines will find this the most convenient place to get their supplies, as it is near the landing, and every thing they require can be bought here at the lowest prices.

SIMMONS, LILLY & CO.

Stoves, tin and sheet iron ware, groceries, liquors, &c. Brooks & Friel, Battery street, near Broadway, (Clark's Point) would inform the public that they keep a large assortment of stoves, tin and sheet iron ware, groceries, liquors, and a general assortment of merchandise suited to the mining trade, which they will sell as reasonable for cash as can be obtained elsewhere in this country. Importing and manufacturing themselves, they are confident of being able to sell on satisfactory terms.

Brooks & Friel, Battery st, Clark's Point.

DELAOURT BLYTH has removed from foot of Washington street to No. 214 west side Montgomery st, brick house known as Howard Hotel, 3 doors from Jackson street, where, to his former business of importer of ironmongery and other American and English manufactures, he has added an assortment of provisions, groceries, and other goods of general consumption in this market, and those of the mining districts.

A good billiard table for sale. Two upper stories of Howard Hotel for rent. Highest market price paid for gold dust.

Simmons, Lilly & Co., Sacramento st.

AN ACT

TO PREVENT THE IMPORTATION OF CONVICTS INTO THIS STATE.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Sec. 1. No captain or master of any vessel, or any other person or persons shall knowingly or willingly import, bring or send, or cause or procure to be imported, brought or sent, or be aiding or assisting therein, into this State, by land or water, any felon, convict or person under sentence of death or transportation, or any other legal disability incurred by a criminal prosecution, except for treason, or who shall be delivered or sent to him from any prison or place of confinement in any place without this State.

Sec. 2. Every person who shall offend against any of the provisions of the preceding section, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail, for a term not less than three months, and shall forfeit and pay more over the sum of one thousand dollars for each of such convicts so imported, brought or sent into this State; one half of which penalty shall go to him or her who shall sue to prosecute for the same, and the other half to the county in which such prosecution shall be had.

Sec. 3. This act to take effect and be in force from and after thirty days' publication of the same in the "Pacific News."

JOHN BIGLER, Speaker of the House of Assembly.

JOHN McDUGALL, President of the Senate.

Approved, April 11th 1850.

PETER H. BURNETT, exlvi us

EMPIRE CITY.

FOR Sonoran Camp, Wood's Diggings, Sullivan's, Hawkins's and Don Pedro's Bars, head waters of Tuolumne, Merced, and Mariposa rivers; also, to head waters of San Joaquin and Kings' River. FAVORABLE PASSAGE TO EMPIRE CITY, TUOLUMNE, DURFEE & TOWNSEND have established a daily line of sailing vessels from San Francisco to the above city, situated on the south easterly bank of the Tuolumne river, thirty-five miles above its mouth, and are prepared to carry freight or passengers.

This route is the only one which can be really said to extend, by water, to the very gold field. The city stands at the head of navigation on the Tuolumne river, where the low hills of the Sierra Nevada meet the plains of the San Joaquin, and is not only accessible by sufficient water at all seasons of the year, but the roads to the mines, from that point, are good in wet or dry weather. Goods shipped to Empire City, Tuolumne, save from 25 to 60 miles of land carriage over any other depot for that gold region, avoiding safe roads, expensive freights, and personal discomfort.

Persons shipping goods, or taking passage, are urged upon promptness in dispatch, speed in transit, and great saving in time and expense.

For freight or passage, apply to Messrs. Turner, Fish & Co., foot of Jackson street, San Francisco, or to the subscribers, Empire City, Tuolumne. April 29, 1850.

DURFEE & TOWNSEND.

EMPIRE AND CRESCENT CITIES.

The survey of this town being completed at the head of navigation on the Tuolumne river, and numerous lots sold and houses erected, designed originally to bear the name of Crescent city, the subscribers, owners of lots in said town, learning that a plot of ground on the northwesterly bank of said river, two miles below, surveyed and laid out last year, still insists upon its rights and advantages as a place for a city, have concluded to leave to the town plot alluded to the beautiful name of Crescent city, and adopt one quite as appropriate, if not so beautiful. Henceforth, therefore, we claim the name of Empire City. The map will be deposited in the proper offices, and the change in name noted.

Empire city stands on the southeasterly bank of the Tuolumne river, and is the only point accessible by water at all seasons, immediately contiguous to the gold fields of Tuolumne, Merced, Mariposa and San Joaquin rivers. It is at the head of navigation on the Tuolumne river, 35 miles from its mouth. Those persons wishing a settlement in the country are desired to visit it, and examine its advantages over any of its competitors. Signed—Philip Durfee, Edwin B. Townsend, Wm. J. Maxwell, W. H. Wilson, Joseph E. Miller, Wm. M. Rowlett, Thomas J. L. Suley, David Turner, Edward S. Townsend, Edward Conway, Henry E. Perrine, J. B. Lattimer.

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LEONARD & TAY offer for sale at the lowest market prices—Mess and prime pork, mess beef, barley, chili flour in sacks. Ann. do in bbls, hams, lard, cheese, butter in small kegs, brown and white sugars, molasses, coffee, pilot bread, soda and black tea crackers in tin boxes, green and black raisins, dried apples, candles, saleratus, soap, pickles, vinegar and salt, with a variety of other articles in the provision and produce line, all of the best quality, and in desirable packages—which they request miners and others desiring to purchase, to call and examine at their store, foot of Washington street, fronting the bay.

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WOODWORTH & MORRIS, shipping and commission merchants, clay st. wharf. Frederic A. Woodworth, Charles A. Morris. Strict attention paid to the purchase, sale, freight or export of ships and vessels, and sale of ships, cargoes and merchandise generally. The locality of their warehouse admits of goods being landed, and again re-shipped, without expense of cartage, thus saving an important item of charges, both to consignees and purchasers. Gold dust bought at the highest market rates. Drafts on N. York for sale, in sums to suit purchasers. Storage for every description of merchandise.

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C. BARRETT'S Crockery and General Store, wholesale and retail, Kearny st. opposite City Hotel, next door to the circus. A general assortment crockery, glassware, cutlery, &c. &c. everything proper and necessary for furnishing hotels, restaurants, steamboats, &c. &c. Also, a large stock of matted of the best description, 4-4 and 5-4, martel's brandy, pure madeira wine, direct from the London docks; sherry, whisky, chairs, sperm candles, wash hand stands, butter, &c. &c.

Orders received and attended to, and prices charged as low, if not lower, than to the parties present.

Charles Barrett.

WANTED to Charter—A schooner to proceed to Saucelito for piles. Apply to Charles Minturn, agent, Broadway hotel.

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NAILES, 300 kegs cut Nails, assorted sizes, just received and for sale by Simmons, Lilly & Co., Sacramento st.

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NEW DAILY EVENING PAPER IN SAN FRANCISCO.

ROBERT D. FOY proposes to establish a daily newspaper in the city of San Francisco, to be issued every afternoon. The design of the paper will be to afford a reliable medium of information on all subjects of general and local interest; also to give full and accurate commercial and shipping intelligence up to the hour of publication each day. In a commercial community like ours, the utility of an evening paper, that will place the transactions of the day before the public immediately, must be apparent.

While the principal aim will be to give to the patrons of the proposed paper all the advantages of a strictly business publication, it should be understood that on questions of a political character, it will always be found a decided advocate of the principles and measures of the great democratic party of the Union.

The first number will appear on or about the first day of June next.

Terms—\$25 per annum, when delivered to city subscribers at their residences, or \$20 when mailed—payable in advance. Advertisements inserted at the usual rates.

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THIS DAY landing from ship Reindeer, and bark Chester, the following desirable goods:

4 cases heavy and light boots

3 " " " brogans

6 " " ladies buskins and slippers

100 dozen red and blue wool shirts

200 " " woolen and cotton socks

200 " " wool wrappers and drawers

1000 pairs assorted pants

200 reefing jackets

100 dozen guernsey frocks

500 bales blankets, assorted colors

30 casks London porter

10 do Boston hams, 30 kegs butter

200 gallons pickles in kegs

50 dozen sack hammers

25 spring balances

Also, goods, furnishing goods, silk and cotton handkerchiefs, fine white and fancy shirts, neckties, together with a great variety of other articles, for sale by

Simmons, Lilly & Co., exliii

NOTICE.—The undersigned have opened an office in the building now occupied by Messrs. Baldwin & Co., south side of Portsmouth square, and will be prepared to receive gold dust for smelting and assaying on Monday, the 13th inst., in accordance with the provisions of a law passed by the Legislature of this State, April 20th, 1850.

In making this announcement, we beg leave to state that, desiring to establish the office at the earliest practicable moment, our arrangements are necessarily less complete than they otherwise would have been. Nevertheless, we trust they will be found sufficient to meet the wants of the community.

O. P. Sutton, Director.

F. D. Kohler, Assayer.

San Francisco, May 10th, 1850.

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WATER.—Shipping supplied with water. Having finished our water boats, we are now prepared to supply the shipping with water, either on board or at the works, at the foot of Pine st. Orders left at Messrs. Flint & Peabody, Clark's point, Bacon & Mahony, corner Brown & Linn, central wharf, will be punctually attended to. Office, Pine st., below Sansome st. Crocker & Co.

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JUST received by the subscribers—mess J. and beef, pilot bread, hams, butter, brings, tin ware, wooden ware, heavy and fine clothing, hardware, carpenter's tools, nails, platform scales, brandy in cases, Holland gin, London porter, salt, vinegar, boots and shoes, fancy goods, &c., which they offer for sale on the most reasonable terms, at their stores on Sansome and Sansome streets.

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LUMBER AND TIMBER. J. & J. Wilkins having a Saw Mill in operation in the Red Wood, would respectfully inform the citizens of San Francisco that they have appointed T. H. Green their Agent in this place, where they may leave their orders for all kinds of Lumber or Timber, sawed to any size, or both round and hewed, with an assurance of having them filled without delay.

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PIONEER BOOK STORE.—A select assortment of fine mercantile stationery of every description. Account books and memorandums of excellent quality, miscellaneous books, &c. Capt. Ringgold's charts of Suisun Bay, for sale in Clay st. on Portsmouth square. Marvin & Hitchcock.

Merchants and others visiting San Francisco, are invited to call and examine our stock.

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EARL MACKINTOSH & CO., wholesale dealers in provisions, Washington street, have received by recent arrivals—50 bbls molasses, 55 do dried apples, 200 doz pickles, 50 do tomato catsup, 100 boxes ground pepper, 800 boxes cheese, 50 do Wolsey & Co's loaf sugar, 1000 lb mangel raisins, 1000 do saleratus, 10 lb each, 35 cases sardines, 50 doz cansoyers, 100 boxes lemon syrup, 500 do ale and porter, 10 do elder.

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PACIFIC BATHS.—This establishment is now opened at No. 273 Montgomery st, for the accommodation of the public, well furnished with all the conveniences which tend to make bathing a luxury. The proprietor has spared no pains or expense to make it all it should be, truly hoping to merit the patronage of a generous public. Bath (warm or cold) in readiness at 50, from 8 A. M. to 11 P. M. Single bath, \$1.50, or the tickets for \$10.

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ENDICOTT, Greene & Oakes offer for sale the entire cargo of bark Ardmore, consisting of 110,000 ft of scantling, 3x4, and 18 to 22 ft long; 30,000 ft of 4 inch boards, 9 inches wide, averaging 21 ft in length, and 37,000 best cy press shingles, 20 inches long.

Also, 20 tons Newcastle coal, First st, near Market st, on the Beach.

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100 CASES fine old cognac Brandy in the original packages, 10,000 superior Havana cigars, large size and assorted colors, honey-dew tobacco in 5 to 10 lb pkgs. Also, one well made 2 1/2 story frame house, 16x26 ft, with tin roof ready for putting on, delivered ashore or adrift. For sale at Middleton, Berry & Co's old auction store, Jackson, above Kearny st.

8 ft J. Stevenson.

GEO. ADAMS SMITH, Attorney & Counsellor at Law, MARYSVILLE, CALIFORNIA.

All business entrusted to his care promptly attended to. Particular attention given to collections. Office at the Coville Hotel.

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M. F. BULLER, Architect, ROOM 45, GRAHAM HOUSE

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